

# Film and Media AAS Degree Program

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## School of Liberal Arts

Applications accepted for fall only. NYSED: 35958 HEGIS 5606

The major in Film and Media provides students with a solid foundation in digital filmmaking, including screenwriting, cinematography, and editing, as well as a grounding in the history, theory, and criticism related to film and media. Curriculum below is for the entering class of Fall 2016.

<b>Semester 1</b>		<b>Credits</b>
MAJOR AREA	FI 111 - Introduction to Film	3
	PH 181 - Shooting the Narrative: Visual Storytelling I	3
	PH 331 - Lighting for Still and Moving Images	2
GENERAL EDUCATION	EN 121 - English Composition G1	3
	choice - see Requirements*	3
<b>Semester 2</b>		
MAJOR AREA	FI 256 - Screenwriting I	3
	FI 261 - Introduction to Sound	3
	PH 281 - Shooting the Narrative: Visual Storytelling II	3
	PH 282 - Basic Video Editing	3
GENERAL EDUCATION	choice - see Requirements*	6
<b>Semester 3</b>		
MAJOR AREA	FI 221 - History of Film, beginnings to 1959	3
	FI 231 - Documentary Film	3
	PH 283 - Framing the Shot	3
	PH 284 - Editing Concepts	3
GENERAL EDUCATION	choice - see Requirements*	6
<b>Semester 4</b>		
MAJOR AREA	FI 222 - History of Film, 1960-present	3
	FI 232 - Documentary Film Production	3
GENERAL EDUCATION	choice - see Requirements*	6
<b>TOTAL CREDIT REQUIREMENTS</b>		
	GENERAL EDUCATION	24
	MAJOR AREA	38
	Total Credits:	62

**\*Fall 2016 Requirements for Liberal Arts Associate Degree Programs:** see below

- Three (3) credits from each required General Education area, totaling 9 credits: G1, G2, and G3
- Twelve (12) credits from three different areas in **liberal arts** courses in G4-G10
- Three (3) credits of any 200- or 300-level English literature or speech course

FIT's Gen Ed courses are organized along the following categories: G1 Basic Communication; G2 Mathematics; G3 Natural Sciences; G4 Social Sciences; G5 Western Civilization; G6 The Arts; G7 Humanities; G8 Foreign Language; G9 Other World Civilizations; G10 American History.

See list of Gen Ed approved courses under FIT's General Education Requirements and Courses . An FIT Gen Ed course cannot be used to meet more than one General Education area.